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CONFIRMATION OF MAILGRAM

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DEAR TREASURER:

IT HAS COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION (FEC)THAT YOU MAY HAVE FAILED TO FILE THE ABOVE REFERENCED REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES AS REQUIRED BY THE FEDERAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN ACT, AS AMENDED. YOU WERE PREVIOUSLY NOTIFIED OF THE DUE DATE FOR THIS REPORT.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU FILE THIS REPORT IMMEDIATELY WITH THE FEC, 999 & STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C., 20463. A COPY OF THE REPORT OR RELEVANT PORTIONS MUST ALSO BE FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE OR EQUIVALENT STATE OFFICER, UNLESS THE STATE IS EXEMPT FROM THE FEDERAL REQUIREMENT TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN PAPER COPIES.

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IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER, PLEASE CONTACT CHRISTOPHER RITCHIE ON OUR TOLL FREE NUMBER (800)424-9530. OUR LOCAL NUMBER IS (202)694-1130.

SINCERELY,

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